## **EDUCATION**

The County has budgeted \$62,134,390 or 31.88 percent of the total budget for education expense. This includes \$39,609,596 for current expenses for the three school districts and Catawba Valley Community College (CVCC) and capital expenses total \$4,223,184. The Debt Service amount for education is \$18,301,610.

Public education is a major responsibility of County government. In recent years, Catawba County has undertaken major initiatives to both support effective education and to secure accountability for the use of educational funding.

